T-CRAFT FLYER January 2004

Dear Members - The next GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING will be on January 27, 2004 at 7 PM at the Nampa airport terminal building. Use the gated entrance just north of the building and come to the west side building entrance. The next Board meeting will be February 10, 2004 at 7 PM at the hangar.

Winter Flying Program – one more month left to get in your winter flying requirement. The cutoff is February 25, 2004 so take advantage of any good weather between now and then and do some flying.

Flying Cards – Mike Chappell will be handing out the next quarter flying cards at the meeting. If you do not manage to get your new card by the end of January you will be suspended from scheduling aircraft until you get your card.

Maintenance

A/C Status

375 - OK

- 686 radio sent to factory, reset to tolerances and is back in the aircraft. Annual is scheduled for February 29 through March 5, 2004.
- 64L The engine break-in is in process, the weather is holding things up. At 15 hours the engine will be checked and released to the membership with some restriction. At 25 hours the oil will be changed and the aircraft released for general use.
- 91X The engine is ready and will be picked up soon. The annual is complete and we are having some stiffeners installed on the firewall for added strength.

29Q - OK

0YD - OK

Gordon Hall came across a source for some used avionics equipment and Gordon and Jim Eyre are looking into the possibility of a replacement radio for 91X and ADF for 29Q.

Ground School Refresher Course is going well with good response. The course will continue in February with a different subject and a different instructor. Stay tuned for additional information.

The Club has been experiencing some cases of delinquent accounts. If you find yourself in a financial squeeze and are unable to pay your bill on time (by the 10^{th} of the month) please contact a Board member before you get into problem and the Board is forced to take action.

Program for the meeting will include the Board of Director's annual reports and the elections. Contact Dan Stone, Jeff Vanhoozer, Jeff Aebischer or Alan Renshaw if you wish to run for an office or if you have not been contacted by the time this newsletter reaches you. Positions open are: President and Vice President (1 year term), Secretary and Treasure (2 year term) and one Director position (4 year term). Please plan on attending this meeting and learn how the Club is doing financially, aircraft status and to vote in the elections.

The "Wings Program" safety meeting will be held at our February general membership meeting. Safety specialist John Goostrey will be our guest.

Daryl Linde, Secretary, T-Craft Aero Club